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Which best describes the location of your school building?

159	40.87%	Large Central City (Population greater than 400,000 and density greater than 6,000.)
77	19.79%	Mid-Size Central City (Population less than 400,000 and density less than 6,000.)
145	37.28%	Urban Fringe of Large City (Defined as urban by the Census Bureau.)
0	0.00%	Urban Fringe of Mid-Size City (Defined as urban by the Census Bureau.)
0	0.00%	Large Town (Population greater than or equal to 25,000.)
0	0.00%	Small Town (Population less than 25,000 and greater than or equal to 2,500.)
8	2.06%	Rural (Population less than 2,500 and coded rural by the Census Bureau.)

A. PHYSICAL STRUCTURE AND MECHANICAL FEATURES

4. When was the school originally constructed?

Pre-1900	23	5.91%	1930-1939	24	6.17%	1970-1979	29	7.46%
1900-1909	15	3.86%	1940-1949	7	1.80%	1980-1989	2	0.51%
1910-1919	28	7.20%	1950-1959	102	26.22%	1990-1999	20	5.14%
1920-1929	44	11.31%	1960-1969	95	24.42%			

5. In your opinion, is this school building overcrowded?

Yes	128	32.90%	No	261	67.10%
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6. If the original building has been renovated or had additions, when was the most recent, MAJOR renovation or addition?

No Renovation	125	32.13%	1940-1949	3	0.77%	1970-1979	21	5.40%
Before 1930	17	4.37%	1950-1959	34	8.74%	1980-1989	40	10.28%
1930-1939	0	0.00%	1960-1969	55	14.14%	1990-1999	94	24.16%

7. How many total square feet does the original building have?

Minimum:	5,000	Maximum:	447,130	Median:	49,651	Average:	77,908
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8. If the building has been renovated or added on to, how many total square feet exist now?

Minimum:	11,979	Maximum:	870,003	Median:	67,236	Average:	103,948
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9. How many portable classrooms were in use during the 1998-99 school year?

Number of schools reporting the use of portable classrooms: **19**

Minimum:	1	Maximum:	20	Median:	2	Average:	4
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10. Does the school accommodate any of its students in instructional facilities located OFF-SITE?

Yes	28	7.20%	No	361	92.80%
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11. How many of this school's FTE students are located in OFF-SITE facilities?

Number of schools reporting OFF-SITE facilities: **28**

Minimum:	1	Maximum:	200	Median:	23	Average:	48
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	<i>Excellent</i>	<i>Good</i>	<i>Adequate</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Poor</i>	<i>Replace</i>	<i>NA</i>
<i>Original Buildings:</i>	28 7.20%	85 21.85%	185 47.56%	73 18.77%	9 2.31%	6 1.54%	3 0.77%
<i>Permanent Additions:</i>	45 11.57%	68 17.48%	108 27.76%	49 12.60%	6 1.54%	1 0.26%	112 28.79%

13. What would be the total cost of all repairs/renovations/modernizations required to put this school's ON-SITE buildings in good overall condition?*Number of schools reporting cost for repairs/renovations/modernizations: 288***CESA Total Costs = \$663,537,720**

<i>Minimum:</i>	\$15,000	<i>Maximum:</i>	\$15,000,000	<i>Median:</i>	\$1,786,450	<i>Average:</i>	\$2,303,950
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14. On which of the sources listed below is this estimate based? Choose all that apply.

105	12.06%	<i>Does not apply--already in good (or better) overall condition.</i>
221	25.37%	<i>Facilities inspection/assessment performed within the last three years by licensed professionals.</i>
175	20.09%	<i>Repair/renovation/modernization work already being performed/contracted for.</i>
239	27.44%	<i>Capital improvement/facilities master plan or schedule.</i>
104	11.94%	<i>My best professional judgement.</i>
27	3.10%	<i>Opinions of others.</i>

15. Overall, what is the physical condition of each of the building features listed below for this school's ON-SITE buildings?

	<i>Excellent</i>	<i>Good</i>	<i>Adequate</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Poor</i>	<i>Replace</i>
<i>Roofs:</i>	37 9.51%	148 38.05%	93 23.91%	66 16.97%	38 9.77%	7 1.80%
<i>Framing, floors, foundations:</i>	37 9.51%	198 50.90%	111 28.53%	33 8.48%	10 2.57%	0 0.00%
<i>Exterior walls, finishes, windows, doors:</i>	38 9.77%	112 28.79%	87 22.37%	113 29.05%	32 8.23%	7 1.80%
<i>Interior finishes, trims:</i>	35 9.00%	214 55.01%	98 25.19%	35 9.00%	4 1.03%	3 0.77%
<i>Plumbing:</i>	28 7.20%	121 31.11%	193 49.61%	31 7.97%	13 3.34%	3 0.77%
<i>Heating ventilation, air conditioning:</i>	24 6.17%	114 29.31%	132 33.93%	91 23.39%	23 5.91%	5 1.29%
<i>Electrical power:</i>	34 8.74%	108 27.76%	90 23.14%	88 22.62%	66 16.97%	3 0.77%
<i>Electrical lighting:</i>	39 10.03%	227 58.35%	68 17.48%	48 12.34%	6 1.54%	1 0.26%
<i>Life safety requirements (e.g., emergency lighting and warning systems, exit signs):</i>	53 13.62%	238 61.18%	76 19.54%	21 5.40%	1 0.26%	0 0.00%

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16. How adequate is your current maintenance budget for keeping your buildings in good overall condition?

Very Adequate: 13 3.34%

Somewhat Adequate: 252 64.78%

Adequate: 84 21.59%

Not adequate at all: 40 10.28%

17. How satisfactory or unsatisfactory is each of the following environmental factors in this school's ON-SITE buildings?

	Very Satisfactory		Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory		Very Unsatisfactory	
Lighting:	43	11.05%	307	78.92%	37	9.51%	2	0.51%
Heating:	38	9.77%	304	78.15%	44	11.31%	2	0.77%
Ventilation:	32	8.23%	274	70.44%	80	20.57%	3	0.77%
Indoor air quality:	36	9.25%	277	71.21%	73	18.77%	3	0.77%
Acoustics for noise control:	34	8.74%	313	80.46%	42	10.80%	0	0.00%
Flexibility of instructional space:	29	7.46%	172	44.22%	181	46.53%	7	1.80%
Energy efficiency/conservation:	30	7.71%	205	52.70%	154	39.59%	0	0.00%
Physical security of buildings:	31	7.97%	314	80.72%	41	10.54%	3	0.77%
Exterior noise:	47	12.08%	315	80.98%	25	6.43%	2	0.51%

18. How many instructional classrooms were in use as of the third Friday in September, 1998?

Total number of instructional classrooms reported in use as of the third Friday in September, 1998: 12,737

Minimum: 10

Maximum: 130

Median: 25

Average: 33

19. Does the school building have CENTRAL air conditioning (cools all interior space)?

Yes 88 22.62%

No 301 77.38%

20. Does this school have air conditioning in instructional classrooms, computer labs, and/or the library?

61 29.47% Yes, in instructional classrooms.

81 39.13% Yes, in computer labs.

65 31.40% Yes, in the library.

21. How many instructional classrooms have air conditioning?

Minimum: 1

Maximum: 65

Median: 9

Average: 13

22. Does this school have a separate room for a library/resource/media center?

Yes 382 98.20%

No 7 1.80%

23. How does the size of your school's library/resource/media center compare with the size of a typical classroom in your building?

Smaller: 3 0.78%

About the same size: 59 15.36%

Larger: 322 83.85%

24. How many classrooms would fit in the space used for your library/resource/media center?

Minimum: 1

Maximum: 3

Median: 2

Average: 3

25. If you have a library/resource/media center, is it staffed by a licensed, professional librarian?

Yes 269 70.05%

No 115 29.95%

26. What percent time is your library/resource/media center staffed by a licensed, professional librarian?

Number of schools reporting library/resource/media center staffed by licensed, professional librarian: 269

Minimum: 20%

Maximum: 100%

Median: 100%

Average: 88.71%

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27. Does this school have a separate room for a parent/family center?

Yes 105 **26.99%** No 284 **73.01%**

28. How does the size of your school's parent/family center compare with the size of a typical classroom in your building?

Smaller: 33 **31.43%** About the same size: 59 **56.19%** Larger: 13 **12.38%**

29. How many classrooms would fit in the space used for the parent/family center?

Minimum: .33 Maximum: 9 Median: 1 Average: 1

B. SCHOOL SAFETY

30. Does your school have a "Locked Door" policy (doors can only be opened from the inside)?

Yes 304 **78.15%** No 85 **21.85%**

31. Does your school have a "Check-In" policy for school visitors?

Yes 386 **99.23%** No 3 **0.77%**

32. Does your school have an established emergency response plan for dealing with school safety issues?

Yes 384 **98.71%** No 5 **1.29%**

33. Does your school have on-site security provided by police officers or private security guards?

Yes 68 **17.48%** No 321 **82.52%**

34. Does your school have parent or other community volunteers to assist in monitoring the school?

Yes 73 **18.77%** No 316 **81.23%**

35. Does your school have metal detectors?

Yes 23 **5.91%** No 366 **94.09%**

36. Does your school have surveillance cameras located within the school building or on school grounds?

Yes 54 **13.88%** No 335 **86.12%****C. EDUCATIONAL APPROPRIATENESS AND SUITABILITY****ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS ONLY**

Number of Elementary Schools Reported: 271

Educational Appropriateness:

38. Size of instructional classrooms are large enough to allow for alternative room arrangements to facilitate curricular objectives.

Strongly agree with statement:	37	12.71%	Disagree with statement:	46	15.81%
Agree with statement:	203	69.76%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	1.72%

39. Pre-kindergarten and Kindergarten space accommodates developmental range and needs of young children by providing a minimum of 35 square feet per occupant.

Strongly agree with statement:	49	16.96%	Disagree with statement:	36	12.46%
Agree with statement:	198	68.51%	Strongly disagree with statement:	6	2.08%

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40. Adequate space is available for small work group instruction (less than 15 students).

Strongly agree with statement:	33	11.42%	Disagree with statement:	150	51.90%
Agree with statement:	94	32.53%	Strongly disagree with statement:	12	4.15%

41. Adequate space is available to allow instructional classrooms to maintain a class size of less than 30 students.

Strongly agree with statement:	53	18.34%	Disagree with statement:	126	43.60%
Agree with statement:	103	35.64%	Strongly disagree with statement:	7	2.42%

42. Adequate space is available for large work group instruction (more than 30 students).

Strongly agree with statement:	25	8.65%	Disagree with statement:	185	64.01%
Agree with statement:	56	19.38%	Strongly disagree with statement:	23	7.96%

43. Equipment and furniture (such as shelving units, tables, and chairs) are the appropriate size for the building's student population.

Strongly agree with statement:	49	16.96%	Disagree with statement:	9	3.11%
Agree with statement:	231	79.93%	Strongly disagree with statement:	0	0.00%

Building Suitability for Education:

44. Buildings materials, color schemes, and decor provide impetus to learning.

Strongly agree with statement:	38	13.15%	Disagree with statement:	104	35.99%
Agree with statement:	142	49.13%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	1.73%

45. Drinking fountain and restroom facilities are an appropriate height and size for the school building population and conveniently located.

Strongly agree with statement:	52	17.99%	Disagree with statement:	61	21.11%
Agree with statement:	172	59.52%	Strongly disagree with statement:	4	1.38%

46. Student services areas (e.g., counselor and medical) ensure privacy and are of sufficient size.

Strongly agree with statement:	32	11.07%	Disagree with statement:	140	48.44%
Agree with statement:	98	33.91%	Strongly disagree with statement:	19	6.57%

47. Building is accessible to students with disabilities.

Strongly agree with statement:	66	22.84%	Disagree with statement:	75	25.95%
Agree with statement:	118	40.83%	Strongly disagree with statement:	30	10.38%

48. Space is available and appropriate for extended day learning opportunities, including before and after school day care.

Strongly agree with statement:	33	11.50%	Disagree with statement:	67	23.34%
Agree with statement:	182	63.41%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	1.74%

School Site Suitability:

49. Site is large enough to meet educational needs and is accessible.

Strongly agree with statement:	47	16.26%	Disagree with statement:	47	16.26%
Agree with statement:	192	66.44%	Strongly disagree with statement:	3	1.04%

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50. Site has a safe outdoor space where children can engage in a variety of games, sports, and motor activities.

Strongly agree with statement:	72	24.91%	Disagree with statement:	10	3.46%
Agree with statement:	196	67.82%	Strongly disagree with statement:	11	3.81%

51. Student loading areas are segregated from other vehicular traffic and pedestrian walkways.

Strongly agree with statement:	15	5.19%	Disagree with statement:	132	45.67%
Agree with statement:	112	38.75%	Strongly disagree with statement:	30	10.38%

Playground Site and Equipment Suitability:

52. Playground size is appropriate for number of students.

Strongly agree with statement:	63	21.80%	Disagree with statement:	36	12.46%
Agree with statement:	172	59.52%	Strongly disagree with statement:	18	6.23%

53. Playgrounds are separated from streets and parking areas with fencing or other permanent material.

Strongly agree with statement:	58	20.07%	Disagree with statement:	54	18.69%
Agree with statement:	161	55.71%	Strongly disagree with statement:	16	5.54%

54. Playgrounds are well equipped and appropriate for age levels.

Strongly agree with statement:	36	12.46%	Disagree with statement:	69	23.88%
Agree with statement:	171	59.17%	Strongly disagree with statement:	13	4.50%

55. Playground equipment is accessible to students with disabilities.

Strongly agree with statement:	23	7.96%	Disagree with statement:	104	35.99%
Agree with statement:	138	47.75%	Strongly disagree with statement:	24	8.30%

56. Playground equipment is free of sharp edges, of sound construction, and in good condition.

Strongly agree with statement:	36	12.46%	Disagree with statement:	41	14.19%
Agree with statement:	199	68.86%	Strongly disagree with statement:	13	4.50%

MIDDLE, JUNIOR HIGH, AND HIGH SCHOOLS ONLY

Number of Secondary Schools Reported: 118

Educational Appropriateness:

57. Size of instructional classrooms are large enough to allow for alternative room arrangements to facilitate curricular objectives.

Strongly agree with statement:	20	16.13%	Disagree with statement:	35	28.23%
Agree with statement:	69	55.65%	Strongly disagree with statement:	0	0.00%

58. Size and design of special learning areas (science labs, art, technology education, music and special education) is compatible with instructional need.

Strongly agree with statement:	24	19.35%	Disagree with statement:	33	26.61%
Agree with statement:	62	50.00%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	4.03%

59. Adequate space is available for small work group instruction (less than 15 students).

Strongly agree with statement:	23	18.55%	Disagree with statement:	37	29.84%
Agree with statement:	61	49.19%	Strongly disagree with statement:	3	2.42%

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60. Adequate space is available to allow instructional classrooms to maintain a class size of less than 30 students.

Strongly agree with statement:	30	24.19%	Disagree with statement:	39	31.45%
Agree with statement:	55	44.35%	Strongly disagree with statement:	0	0.00%

61. Adequate space is available for large work group instruction (more than 30 students).

Strongly agree with statement:	13	10.48%	Disagree with statement:	62	50.00%
Agree with statement:	40	32.26%	Strongly disagree with statement:	9	7.26%

Building Suitability for Education:

62. Buildings materials, color schemes, and decor provide impetus to learning.

Strongly agree with statement:	22	17.74%	Disagree with statement:	36	29.03%
Agree with statement:	61	49.19%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	4.03%

63. Drinking fountain and restroom facilities are an appropriate height and size for the school building population and conveniently located.

Strongly agree with statement:	29	23.39%	Disagree with statement:	12	9.68%
Agree with statement:	81	65.32%	Strongly disagree with statement:	2	1.61%

64. Student services areas (e.g., counselor and medical) ensure privacy and are of sufficient size.

Strongly agree with statement:	20	16.13%	Disagree with statement:	21	16.94%
Agree with statement:	81	65.32%	Strongly disagree with statement:	2	1.61%

65. Building is accessible to students with disabilities.

Strongly agree with statement:	27	21.77%	Disagree with statement:	17	13.71%
Agree with statement:	75	60.48%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	4.03%

66. Space is available and appropriate for extended day learning opportunities, including before and after school day care.

Strongly agree with statement:	17	13.71%	Disagree with statement:	26	20.97%
Agree with statement:	76	61.29%	Strongly disagree with statement:	5	4.03%

School Site Suitability:

67. Site is large enough to meet educational needs and is accessible.

Strongly agree with statement:	26	20.97%	Disagree with statement:	24	19.35%
Agree with statement:	71	57.26%	Strongly disagree with statement:	3	2.42%

68. Site has a safe outdoor space where students can engage in a variety of games, sports, and motor activities.

Strongly agree with statement:	30	24.19%	Disagree with statement:	10	8.06%
Agree with statement:	82	66.13%	Strongly disagree with statement:	2	1.61%

69. Student loading areas are segregated from other vehicular traffic and pedestrian walkways.

Strongly agree with statement:	9	7.26%	Disagree with statement:	70	56.45%
Agree with statement:	27	21.77%	Strongly disagree with statement:	18	14.52%

End of Survey